



CITY OF SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING March 11, 2008 DAVID GEBHARD PUBLIC MEETING ROOM 630 GARDEN STREET

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Pro Tempore Grant House called the meeting to order at 9:06 a.m.

PUBLIC COMMENT

No one wished to speak.

ROLL CALL

Councilmembers present: Iya G. Falcone, Roger L. Horton, Das Williams, Mayor Pro Tempore House.

Councilmembers absent: Dale Francisco, Helene Schneider, Mayor Marty Blum.

Staff present: City Administrator James L. Armstrong.

NOTICES

The City Clerk has on Thursday, March 6, 2008, posted this agenda in the Office of the City Clerk, on the City Hall Public Notice Board on the outside balcony of City Hall, and on the Internet.

WORK SESSIONS

1. Subject: Youth Violence (520.04)

Recommendation: That Council hold a work session on youth violence.

Speakers:

- Staff: City Administrator James Armstrong, City Administrator's Office Special Projects Manager Don Olson.
- Members of the Public: Tara Haaland; Ginny Brush, Executive Director, Santa Barbara County Arts Commission; Laurel Andersen; Herb Turse; Keith Terry.

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Councilmember Francisco entered the meeting at 10:00 a.m.

Discussion:

The Strategy Planning Committee recapped the January 31, 2008, meeting and discussed the various consensus points. The Committee received updates from members regarding the comprehensive list of youth service providers. They also discussed creating a subcommittee to focus on short-term goals of working with local schools to develop a plan for youth by summer. The Committee scheduled the next meeting for March 24, 2008, at 8:00 a.m.

Councilmember Williams left the meeting at 10:30 a.m.

ADJOURNMENT

Mayor Pro Tempore House adjourned the meeting at 11:10 a.m.

SANTA BARBARA CITY COUNCIL

CYNTHIA M. RODRIGUEZ, CMC
CITY CLERK SERVICES MANAGER

_____ ATTEST: _____	
GRANT HOUSE	BRENDA ALCAZAR, CMC
MAYOR PRO TEMPORE	DEPUTY CITY CLERK